

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 2611
Docket No.: 1267.1028**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Finbar NAVEN, et al.

Serial No. 10/000,036

Group Art Unit: 2611

Confirmation No. 9313

Filed: December 4, 2001

Examiner: KUMAR, PANKAJ

For: PROCESSING HIGH-SPEED DIGITAL SIGNALS

SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This is in response to the Final Office Action mailed May 31, 2006, and having a period for response set to expire on August 31, 2006 and the Advisory Action of October 11, 2006 refusing entry of the Amendment filed September 25, 2006. A Petition for a two-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to October 31, 2006.

Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested. The following remarks are respectfully submitted.